

WEEKEND UPDATE

A MAJOR INCIDENT REPORT FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE CHIEF DARYL L. OSBY

June 18, 2012

This report covers major incidents occurring **Out of County** during the period beginning on Friday, June 15, 2012, at 5:00 p.m., until Monday, June 18, 2012, at 8:00 a.m.

OUT OF COUNTY RESPONSE:

Highland Incident, Riverside County (Beaumont)

On Saturday, June 16, at 1:20 p.m., a brush fire was reported in the community of Beaumont in Riverside County. CALFIRE officials requested mutual aid resources from our Department. On Sunday, County Fire deployed five strike teams (each team consists of five engine companies and one battalion chief) to help fight the blaze, which grew to nearly 2,200 acres in steep, hilly, rough terrain. In addition, one battalion chief was deployed to assist with incident management. With additional resources, firefighters achieved 30 percent containment by Sunday, June 17. Currently, the fire remains at 2,200 acres and is now at 70 percent containment. A total of 76 LACoFD personnel assisted on scene. All County strike teams were released this morning, but remain on scene for rest and possible deployment to another incident.

OUT OF COUNTY RESPONSE:

Old-2 Incident, San Diego County (Pine Valley)

On Sunday, June 17, at 2:06 p.m., a brush fire was reported in the community of Pine Valley in San Diego County. CALFIRE officials requested mutual aid resources from our Department. This morning, County Fire deployed one Type 3 OES strike team to assist, minus one of the OES engines which was not operational. A replacement engine from requested from the Montebello Fire Department. They are expected to arrive on scene by 12:30 p.m. Currently, the fire has burned a total of 820 acres and is 30 percent contained.

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